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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the Notice of Incomplete Reply dated March 29, 2002, entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks are requested; the period for response having been extended up to and including April 17, 2002, by submission of the requisite petition and fee, attached.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Amend the specification as follows:

Insert the attached substitute copy of the specification for the copy of the application filed in the English text on February 19, 2002.

**REMARKS**

Reconsideration is requested.

A copy of the Notice of Incomplete Reply dated March 29, 2002, is attached.

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